Docket No.: 073759-0017 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Fumihiro HAYASHI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 4907

Application No.: 10/587,281 : Group Art Unit: 1794

Filed: July 25, 2006 : Examiner: Hai Vo

For: EXPANDED POROUS POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE FILM HAVING ELASTIC
RECOVERY PROPERTY IN THICKNESS-WISE DIRECTION OF THE FILM, PRODUCTION

PROCESS THEREOF, AND USE OF THE POROUS FILM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2007, now due to expire January 23, 2007, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on March 23, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$460.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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